

## **GPCA COORDINATING COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**

### **Monday, October 2, 2023, 7:30 PM - 9:30 PM via Zoom**

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#### **(1) Roll call: (5 mins)**

There are currently 17 CC committee members. Quorum is a simple majority of 9.

CC members: Mark Adams, Bill Balderston, Susan Chunco, David Cobb, Charisse Cordero, Ann Garrison, Richard Gomez, Dave Grover, Greg Jan, Mimi Newton, Nassim Nouri, Christine Pepin, Rohan Sabnis, Phoebe Thomas Sorgen, Lindsay Vurek, Audra Walton, Laura Wells

#### **Present:**

Mark Adams, Bill Balderston, David Cobb, Charisse Cordero, David Grover, Greg Jan, Mimi Newton, Nassim Nouri, Christine Pepin, Rohan Sabnis, Phoebe Thomas Sorgen, Laura Wells

**James Lauderdale was present as a guest.**

**Absent:** Susan Chunco, Lindsay Vurek, Audra Walton, Ann Garrison, Richard Gomez

**Quorum reached at: 7:32 with 12 of 17 present.**

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#### **(2) Roles (4 mins):**

Roles for CC Call on October 2, 2023:

Facilitator: David Grover

Note Taker: Charisse Cordero

Timekeeper: Nassim Nouri

Vibes Watcher:

Roles for next month's CC Call on November 6, 2023 (first Monday):

Facilitator:

Note Taker: Charisse Cordero

Timekeeper:

Vibes Watcher:

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#### **(3) Approval of Agenda (3 mins)**

**Approved by consensus**

#### **(3a) Late items:**

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#### **(4) Approval of CC minutes (2 mins)**

September 11, posted to CC email list by Charisse Cordero on 9/23/23, 1:19pm

**Approved with corrections regarding attendance**

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#### **(5) Consent Items (5 mins)**

Background and Purpose: The consent calendar is intended to pass non-controversial items or items consented prior to the actual meeting. Any item may be objected to, and that item will be placed at the end of the evening's agenda.

Proposal: Accept the following committee reports (CC liaisons are noted) for inclusion in the meeting minutes:

- Bylaws and Rules (Mimi Newton, interim, non-CC member) - **Appendix A**
- Candidates (Greg Jan) - **Appendix B**
- Communications (Nassim Nouri) - **Appendix C**
- Finance (Mica Daniel) - **Appendix D**
- Membership and Outreach (Rick Greenblatt/Laura Wells) - **Appendix E**
- Policy & Platform (Mark Adams) - **Appendix F**
- General Assembly Planning (CC subcommittee) (David Grover) - See **Appendix I** for revised GA draft agenda
- GP-US delegation from GPCA - **N/A**
- Proportional Representation Coalition report (David Cobb) - **Appendix G**

Greg noted the GPUS delegation report is missing. Nassim asked Tarik to be sure to send them to the CC, and also asked if a Delegate Selection Committee had been formed.

Greg explained that the year before a presidential election a Delegate Selection Committee is formed in order to manage the process of choosing delegates. Presidential candidates are assigned delegates depending upon the number of state votes they get. Committee members from different committees compose it, Richard Gomez is on it. David Grover will keep us informed as to when and where the Presidential Nominating Convention will be held.

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**(6) UPDATES and APPOINTMENTS (5 mins)**

**(6.a) Committee Appointments:**

**Charisse Cordero re-appointment to Communications Committee:**

I am applying for re-appointment to the Communications Committee.

I am on the Green Party County Council of Santa Barbara County and am as active as possible in local political and environmental concerns. Thank you for your consideration.

- Charisse Cordero, Santa Barbara County

**Approved by consensus and affirmations by Nassim and Laura**

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**(6.b) 48 Hour Online CC Vote(s) and Results (N/A)**

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**(6.c) Strategic Plan Calendar review**

[https://assets.nationbuilder.com/cagreens/pages/1677/attachments/original/1664662050/DR\\_AFT\\_GPCAWorkPlan2023-2025.pdf?1664662050](https://assets.nationbuilder.com/cagreens/pages/1677/attachments/original/1664662050/DR_AFT_GPCAWorkPlan2023-2025.pdf?1664662050)

Greg noted he had sent an updated calendar at 4:53. Please use that one.

**Here is the link to the new updated calendar...please use this one for all future meetings!**

<https://assets.nationbuilder.com/cagreens/pages/1695/attachments/original/1695065961/GPCAWorkPlan2023-2025V2.pdf?1695065961>

We need to update our Statement of Purpose by Nov. 12, but we should do that before the next CC meeting so the CC can approve it before we send it in for the Voter Registration Guide.

Charisse offered to help with this.

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**(6.d) Action Item Update (10 minutes)**

**Item 1: Annual work plans and budgets**

Treasurer Justin Richardson said he has not received a budget request from the CC or Membership Committee (haven't requested in the past). Laura says they did and will send an email to Justin and Sean. There was a question if the GA Planning Committee needs to submit a request because it is not a standing committee. Nassim said it is a recognized CC subcommittee. (Budget was drafted.) DONE.

**Item 2:** Dave G. to contact Tarik about email which accompanies CA State allocation of Delegates to ensure required action(s) described on calendar are up to date. DONE

**Item 3: County Bylaws**

Greg says the By-Laws of counties need to be up to date. Jared has reported that the California Secretary of State wants to know which counties are going to use the "default formula". Our CA website has a link to county by-laws. We all need to check our most current by-laws now to see if the number of county council members we are allowed is the same as the number the GPCA says we are allowed. Greg has sent the CC an email regarding this. He said he has found most of the county by-laws, even old ones, except for El Dorado, using [Archives.Org](http://Archives.Org).

We should send him a copy of our most current county by-laws to make sure. He needs to know immediately (preferably by Sept.12)

Nassim asked if all counties need to be contacted. Greg will ask Jared when the actual deadline to submit these is and message counties if there is time.

Nassim will make all available updates that Greg has found. DONE

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**(7) Discussion/Decision Item:** Decision Making From GA

**Co-sponsors:** James Lauderdale and Mimi Newton, Bylaws and Rules Committee (BLRC)

**Background and Purpose:** The General Assembly (GA) had a Power Point presentation on the issue of Decision Making at the Standing General Assembly (SGA) level. Several areas of success and needed reform were pointed out. What remains is for people who are actually impacted by the process discussed to come to the BLRC and work out specifics so that amended language can be worked out in the By Laws

**Proposal:** The CC needs to appoint or select appropriate Co-chairs of appropriate Standing Committees to attend a meeting of the BLRC to work out details.

**Implementation/Timeline/Resources:** Next BLRC meeting or appropriate near term BLRC meeting to tackle the discussion and proposals

**References:** Chart of "What's Working and Not Working and Suggestions" followed by Consensus Process, see **Appendix H**

James Lauderdale stated that Mimi's presentation at the last GA called for "next steps". There was a series of recommendations but no way forward. There was no guidance from the GA on what they wanted. More clarification is needed. We need further discussions in order to make them usable. We can discuss what the problem is, how to fix it, and what part of their graph comes closest to doing that.

James asked if they could have a vote administrator at their next meeting so they could see what they do and how it works.

Nassim notes that we are short of SGA moderators and administrators.

James said that the SGA needs to be made simpler and a more fruitful place to have a discussion. Nassim affirmed James and Mimi and said only a few people were causing problems in the discussions but it's better now. She likes the table they made and would like to do away with the SGA and use the twice-yearly GA. The discussion time could start a month ahead of the GA which would give enough time to inform the counties and to come to the GA prepared. He would like to have Nassim at a By-Laws and Rules Committee meeting next month. He noted we are the only state with an SGA. Other states make decisions in their Annual Meetings and with their CCs. He thinks we should have two GAs but that would need a by-laws rewrite.

Mimi proposed something a little short of that...a period of discussion based on the complexity of the issue with the discussion administered by the bringer of the motion.

There was discussion about getting rid of the SGA altogether and coming up with a new way to make decisions.

James also said that there needs to be more than two people on the Bylaws and Rules committee making decisions. We need to try things out before we reconsider Bylaws and throw open the GA to new rules.

Mimi said she likes the idea of having the CC find people who have a vested interest in solving difficult problems.

Nassim said that the only decisions made on the SGA were about the platform and that the decisions the CC makes are not complex, so we are operating as James would like already.

**No decision was made, discussions will continue.**

Nassim will connect with BLRC and discuss her suggestions.

David Cobb said form should follow function. The Bylaws are too complex.

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**(8) Discussion/Decision Item:** Green Party of Orange County Request for Recognition as an Active County Organization

**Co-sponsor(s):** Laura Wells, for the Membership and Outreach Committee

**Background and Purpose:** Orange County has been an active county in the past and has submitted a request to become active again. They held a meeting on September 17, and have submitted the minutes of that meeting, and an updated set of Bylaws.

**Proposal:** That the GPCA Coordinating Committee approve Orange County's application for membership as an active county.

**Implementation/Timeline/Resources:** If approved, update the lists of currently active counties, and add the new GA/SGA delegates to the SGA email lists, in time for their participation in the October 21 General Assembly.

**References:**

Bylaws Article 5 "County Organization" [https://www.cagreens.org/bylaws-green-party-california#Article 5. County Organization](https://www.cagreens.org/bylaws-green-party-california#Article_5. County Organization)

The next 3 references are to be found in emails from Ron Rodarte addressed to the CC on 9/25/23, 9:02am and 9:03am. Note that the minutes to be used are in the later email, not the first one.

(1) Letter of Request

(2) Minutes of the Orange County meeting of September 17, 2023, including appointed County Council and General Assembly Delegates.

(3) Bylaws

Sean, Laura and Nassim have reviewed the information submitted, Nassim was present at the meeting, and they all confirmed GPOC has met the requirements.

**Approved by consensus**

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**(9) Decision Item:** Approve Revised Draft Agenda for General Assembly 10/21/23

**Co-sponsor(s):** Attendees of General Assembly Planning meetings, Dave Grover, Nassim Nouri, Laura Wells, others including platform liaison Mark Adams

**Background and Purpose:** This is a revised draft agenda which includes platform amendments, that although they were submitted past the due date, they are changes needed in order to conform to the energy platform that was passed — with a minimum of controversy — recently. The changes are, per GA planner Tarik Kanaana, "I added in the 2 platform amendments (2:00-2:30) and shortened the Cornel West Item from 60 minutes to 50. This will make the adjournment at 3:30 rather than 3:10."

**Proposal:** That the GPCA Coordinating Committee approve the draft agenda

**Implementation/Timeline/Resources:** The revised agenda would be posted at the [cagreens.org](https://cagreens.org) website and made available to GA participants.

**References:** Revised draft agenda, see **Appendix I**

*Note: The links in the agenda are on google drive. When the draft agenda is distributed the links will be files on the GPCA NationBuilder account. The times, order and descriptions of each item can still be changed after distribution.*

*Nassim said that she talked to Jill Stein and wants to update Green Party Ballot Access presentation and ask Sean Dougherty to join her and talk about outreach and activating more counties. Orange County might want to speak.*

*She suggested renaming the presentation "Growing the Green Party with Jill Stein and Sean Dougherty."*

*Nassim also suggested for the 1:00 pm item, making it clear that is a decision on candidates we are putting on ballot to the CA Secretary of State.*

*We can start an SGA listserv thread on the two planks and try out what James suggests as the SGA and GA are the same people.*

*Greg noted that two platform items submitted after the deadline had been added and to contact Shane and ask if someone on the Platform and Policy Committee would like to participate in a discussion on SGA list. Mark will suggest that to PPC.*

*Greg and Nassim noted that the agenda needs other updates, and they will work on this asap.*

**Approved by consensus**

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## LATE ITEMS SUBMITTED TO THE CC

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**Adjourned at: 8:38**

**Next meeting is Monday, Nov. 6 at 7:30 pm**

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## APPENDICES

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### APPENDIX A

#### **Bylaws and Rules Committee meeting minutes - Sunday 9/17/23, 12:30pm**

**Attendees:** Mimi Newton (co-co, note-taker, Marin), James Lauderdale (member, LA), Charisse Cordero (guest)

#### **Any significant actions the Committee is taking:**

The Bylaws and Rules Committee continues to evaluate the input received from GA attendees regarding GPCA decision-making "post-pandemic" and will continue to discuss decision-making under the Bylaws and how this process can be made more people friendly and accessible to Greens in California. James proposed bringing our analysis to the CC for discussion at the upcoming CC meeting and that idea was endorsed by Mimi.

**Next Meeting:** Sunday, October 8, 2023, at 12:30 pm pacific.

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### APPENDIX B

#### **Candidates Committee meeting minutes - Sat, 9/23/23, 10:00 am**

**1 -- Attendees & Introductions:** Christopher Lozinski, Greg Jan, Laura Wells

**2 -- Local "non-partisan" elections** (such as City Council, School Board, Water District, etc.) -- No new developments to report here. That is, the spreadsheet of info about websites containing material on "How to Run for Elective Office", hasn't yet been finished, so hopefully it'll be completed before our next meeting, so we can then it out to local groups.

**3 -- District Partisan Races** (such as state legislature or US House) -- Similarly, not very much new to report here. The "Left Unity Slate" that we're working on with the Peace and Freedom Party for these seats is in the process of getting endorsements from both parties, but it's a time-consuming process....

**4 -- US Senate** -- And we're also still looking for a candidate for this seat (and Peace and Freedom is too. Speaking of which, we'll be meeting with P&F before our next Candidates Committee meeting),

**5 -- President** -- Per the GPCA "Rules and Procedures", we started reviewing Cornel West's application for the GPCA to recommend that he be placed on to our March primary ballot -- that review should be finished soon, and then we'll work with our GPUS delegation and Jared Laiti on what to present to the October GA meeting. (Note: We expect other Presidential candidates will be applying before the October GA, but no others have yet done so, as of this writing).

We also spent some time discussing "pros and cons" related to the October GA item about the GPCA endorsing Cornel West. That is, we will likely submit further info about this to Greens



who will likely be attending the GA, so they can consider "various aspects" about this prior to the GA, so we might then be able to save time on Oct. 21.

**6 -- "Formal status" of our meetings with the Peace and Freedom Party (PFP)–**

Given how busy many of us are, we decided that yes, it does make sense to designate, for the purposes of the GPCA bylaws, that our meetings with PFP should also be regarded as "official Candidates Committee meetings".

**7 -- Next meeting(s) --** Since we meet on the 4th Saturday of each month (at 10:00 am), our next meeting is October 28.

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**APPENDIX C**

**Communications Committee Monthly Meeting - Tue 9/26/23, 6:30pm**

**1- Attendees:** Nassim Nouri (Coordinator), Mica Daniel, Laura Wells, Charisse Cordero, Richard Gomez

**2- Meeting roles:** Nassim facilitate and notes

**3- Media - [Press Releases & announcements](#)**

- The next press release will be about GA decisions on 2024 presidential candidates. Charisse will draft.

**4- CH - [GPCAMerchandise & Lit](#)**

- 8/30 - Laura sent email blast to remind counties to submit their delegates lists

- 9/9 - Nassim sent an email to all contacts, announcing the GA, including the link to the draft agenda. An additional segment was a call to candidates running for office to provide GPCA info about their campaigns

Upcoming:

- 10/4 - GA registration page (pending completion), call for county council candidates, Laura's Sunday 9/24 [ICSS presentation](#)

**Social Channels - WE NEED VOLUNTEERS**

The only GPCA social channel we currently have access to is Facebook where Nassim is posting weekly. The passwords to FB/Tw/IG that Diana Brown provided Mimi in 2022 do not work.

Nassim has been trying to find who had set up the GPCA YouTube channel and recover access.

We need access to post Mica's recent fundraising video there so Comms can link to newsletter.

**Webinars**

Charisse and her county would like to see GPCA host a Webinar with Cornel West for CA public to attend. Laura suggested we wait until after the GA and make a proposal to CC and get others involved in organizing this. Also, there is a long time before the election so maybe spring of next year would be a good time for a full candidate forum.

**5- IT - WE NEED IT VOLUNTEERS**

- **IT tickets** - website updates - 15 updates done by Nassim for GA, Rules & Procedures, and document uploads

- **SoS voter** data update on hold pending Sean's availability and Finance clarifying cost implications

**6- Building the Comms team** - Please review internal procedures of the Communications Team

**7-Next meeting: Oct 31, 6:30pm**

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**APPENDIX D**

## Finance & Fundraising meeting minutes - Thu, 9/28/23, 8:00pm

**(1) Attendance:** Mica Daniel, Justin Richardson, Susan Chunco, Laura Wells

**(2) Roles:** Facilitator: Justin Richardson Note Taker: Susan Chunco

**(3) Agenda** was built and approved

**(4) Approved minutes** as posted by Mica Daniel to GPCA-CC on August 26

**(5) Review 2023 schedules and deadlines** from FPPC when we need to turn in our forms:  
Political Parties committees:

<http://www.fppc.ca.gov/learn/campaign-rules/where-and-when-to-file-campaign-statements/when-to-file-campaign-statements-state-local-filing-schedules.htm>

Twice yearly unless election year, or special election

### **(6) GPCA Treasurer's Report - AUGUST**

#### **08/01-08/31/23      Income**

\$210.00                      One-time donations (4)

\$396.50                      Recurring monthly donations (36)

#### **08/01-08/31/23      Expenses**

\$10.45                      Call Centric

\$125.50                      WiredTree / Liquid Web

\$300.00                      Treasurer's stipend

\$60.00                      ISP

\$20.00                      Basecamp

\$19.71                      PayPal fees

\$12.61                      NationBuilder fees

\$266.82                      NationBuilder annual fee

\$5.00                      bank fee

#### **8/31/23                      Account Balances**

\$91.96                      PayPal

\$1,107.94                      Mechanics Bank (savings) Federal

\$17,487.13                      Mechanics Bank (checking) State

**(7) Updates and Announcements** (NOTE: this is per agenda before meeting)

(7a) Annual budget presentation

(7b) NationBuilder pricing

**(8) Next meeting:** Thursday, October 26, 2023, at 8:00pm

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### **Membership and Outreach Committee meeting – 9/12/23, 7:30pm**

**1. Attendance:** Sean Dougherty (facilitator and notetaker., Richard Gomez, Richard Greenblatt, Laura Wells

#### **2. County Activation**

- Trinity: Rick asked if any news, Sean says no but will follow up

- Orange County (meeting on Sep 17): Activation blast sent by Sean (to thousands of registered Greens via SoS data). Nassim sent out a reminder. Possibly have issue with bylaws related to how county council members are appointed/elected – Nassim seems to be on it

- Next County? Santa Cruz or Riverside



**3. GA/SGA Delegates** MOC needs to gather a list of delegates. Laura has been gathering. 23 active counties; have lists from 15. Will default to last year's lists if don't get update

**4. Volunteer outreach**

- Streamline national referrals NB import? not yet
- Can someone help Sean until his campaign is over? not yet

**5. Volunteer Onboarding Debrief:** David met with new volunteers last month. Sean offered a couple meetings

**6. Finding Volunteers?**

- Tabling? Richard and Laura think the face-to-face is better than web form, Rick skeptical
- Rick says good volunteers seek us out1`

**7. Cornel -> GP**

**8. Announcements:** Seanforpeace got blurbed in a local paper

**9. Action Items**

- (1) Ping Trinity (Sean)
- (2) Santa Cruz Activation (Sean)

**10. Next Meeting:** Oct 10 @ 7:30pm, second Tuesday

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**APPENDIX F**

**Policy and Platform Committee Report, 9/28/23, 7:00pm**

**Attendees:** Shane Que Hee, Peggy Koteen, Erik Brooks, Mark Adams (Liaison to GPCA CC),

**Agenda:**

- Approval of Minutes of Previous Zoom Meeting
- CC Report for August 2 meeting by Mark

**Policy**

- Any alarms over what Newsom has signed or vetoed?
- Presidential California Primary Committee

**Platform**

- Transportation
- Next planks

**Minutes:**

1. Approval of agenda by consensus
2. Mark related action items to PPC from last CC meeting
3. Discussed problematic vetoes of legislation by Newsome, including a veto of legislation regarding autonomous vehicles. Shane will further update the Transportation Platform and discuss the next meeting to address these latest developments.
4. Policy on Affordable Housing: In 2017 SB25 bill that mandated housing objectives for all cities in CA. If they fail state can come in and force cities to build. SB 423 updated and expanded this and will be facing lawsuits from cities (expands scope and longevity of policy). It will most likely face a ballot measure and the Green Party should take a position then. Eric suggested we update the GP Housing plank before the next legislative session to reflect current legislation and the GP's position. Shane will investigate.
5. Peggy mentioned the Delegation Selection Committee (National) has received applications (some incomplete) from 4 candidates and once all complete will recommend to the GPUS GA candidates for the presidential primary.
6. Next planks: Shane updated the Disarmament and the Nuclear Power, Mining, Waste & Nuclear Weapons planks. These planks will be presented at the October GP General Assembly.

7. Peggy brought up a concern regarding West running as both a Green and Peace and Freedom candidate. If he receives 5% or more of the vote, thus securing Federal election money, which party gets the funds? PPC will contact Greg Jan and David Cobb for answers.

**Next Meeting:** October 26, 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM

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## APPENDIX G

**Proportional Representation (ProRep) Coalition meeting for Quarter 3 - 9/14/23, 7pm**

**Attendees:** Nassim Nouri for GPCA, also other representatives including Peace and Freedom, Libertarian and American Solidarity

**Notes** (submitted by David Cobb): Caledon Myers presented details and asked for input on the creation of the report that ProRep is co-authoring with the folks at Fix Our House: *Representing the Golden State: Multiparty Democracy in California*. The following questions were posed to the Party representatives and the feedback was collated in the slide deck, as slide 15.

\* What are your thoughts on using real parties vs. fictitious parties in the example PR system for California?

\* Did the example PR system we included seem to reflect any particular varieties of proportional representation (OLPR, STV, MMP, etc.)?

\* Is there an appropriate district magnitude (other than 5 member districts) that makes it difficult to discern between the types of PR systems?

\* What other recommendations do you have? Was there anything concerning or problematic about the report?

**Next meeting:** ProRep meets quarterly

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## APPENDIX H

**References for:** Decision Making From GA

Table re Decision Making, Chart is followed by "Consensus Process"

Working	What's Not Working	Suggestions
Long discussion periods allow counties to meet & discuss issues during discussion.	Lengthy discussion periods jam discussion into last two weeks; People forget about it.	Shorten discussion period to two weeks since counties can meet virtually. (option to send issue out 6 weeks in advance but limit discussions to the two weeks prior to vote)  Let proposer choose the discussion period based on complexity/ simplicity of issue.

		<p>Establish variable discussion periods (1-4 weeks?) based on complexity/ simplicity of issues</p> <p>Establish process and time period based on consensus process/ but don't let that stall progress</p> <p>Create hybrid online/virtual process similar to endorsement of Luis Rodriguez for Gov.</p> <p>We could use the inform list to get the word out to Counties about upcoming decisions.</p> <p>As for friendly amendments at least two weeks prior to vote/ or set hard stop?</p> <p>Proposer can schedule a Zoom call to introduce item and ask for questions &amp; get initial feedback.</p> <p>Allow voting items to overlap or run concurrently at different paces.</p>
	<p>There's a lot of vitriol on the SGA listserv and a lot of work for moderators</p>	<p>Need a culture of respect</p> <p>Put burden on proposer to create vote, if SGA. Administrators need only to administer the voting process.</p>
	Tendency of a few people to dominate the discussion	
	Hard for busy people to follow or trace the threads for each issue	
	How can we ensure those without the Internet are included in the discussions?	
	CC members & other registered Greens should be able to see (& participate in?) discussions on decisions for GA & SGA	Need new people-friendly, accessible platform (options) for transparent participation (plugs, blogs, block chain, chat with virtual rooms, etc.)
	Decision-making at GAs can be leveraged by factions stacking attendance with allies.	
		Ask AI to moderate/ handle email

		Ask Chat GPT to weigh in on all of this?
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### Consensus Process

Questions / requests for clarification

Concerns and Affirmations (including suggested amendments)

Responses to concerns (including proposed amendments)

Continuing concerns?

Concerns for which a delegate is unwilling to stand aside? [Memorialize concerns for which delegates are willing to stand aside]

Consensus achieved or vote ensues

### APPENDIX I

**References for:** Revised Draft Agenda for General Assembly 10/21/23

### Draft agenda of the Green Party of California General Assembly, October 21, 2023

8:30-9:00 am	<b>Registration/check-in.</b> Please check in early so that the opening of the General Assembly is not delayed. Once you have been checked in you will be able to turn your video and audio off until it is time to start.
	<b>Facilitator(s): TBD</b>
9:00-9:10 am	<b>Opening Session:</b> welcome - Agreements - other info
9:10-9:20 am	<b>Quorum Count</b> - for starting GA and approving agenda
9:20-9:30 am	<b>Agenda Approval</b>
9:30-10:30 am	<b>Green Party Ballot Access.</b> Presentation by <b>Jill Stein</b> followed by Q&A
10:30-11:30 am	<b>Decision: Approval of the 2024 <a href="#">Budget</a> and 2024 Strategic Plan.</b> (Coordinating Committee and Finance)
11:30-12:00 pm	<b>Decision: <a href="#">Extend 2024 deadline to apply to be a Presidential Nominating Convention delegate</a>.</b> (Coordinating Committee)
12:00-1:00 pm	<b>Lunch Break</b>
	<b>Facilitator(s): TBD</b>
1:00-1:30 pm	<b>Decision: <a href="#">Presidential Primary Election Ballot</a>.</b> Information on candidates seeking GPCA recommendation as it becomes available.
1:30-2:10 pm	<b>Decision: <a href="#">Allow Pres. candidates to also seek P&amp;F nomination</a>.</b> (Coordinating Committee)

1:40-2:00 pm	<b>Decision:</b> <u>Changes to the GPCA "Endorsement Procedures"</u> (Candidates Committee)
2:00-2:30 pm	<b>Decision: Platform Amendments</b> (Policy & Platform Committee) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>DISARMAMENT</u></li> <li>• <u>NUCLEAR POWER, MINING, WASTE &amp; NUCLEAR WEAPONS</u></li> </ul>
2:30-3:20 pm	<b>Decision:</b> <u>GPCA endorsement of Cornel West for President</u> (Candidates Committee)
3:20-3:30 pm	<b>Next General Assembly Meeting Date and Place</b>
3:30 pm	<b>Adjourn the GA</b>

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